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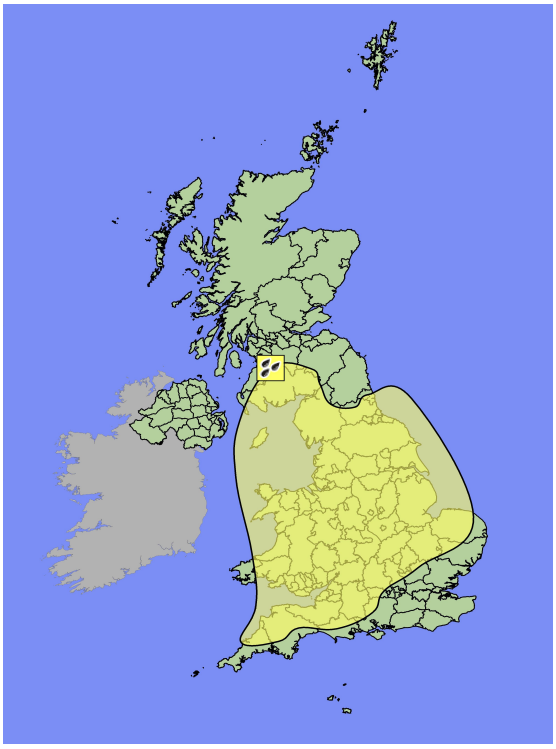

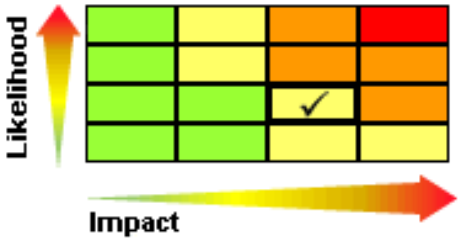

Chief Forecasters Assessment
An area of low pressure will move slowly eastwards into southwestern parts of the UK through Saturday. Some heavy and locally thundery downpours are expected: these more likely through the afternoon and evening although precise locations are still uncertain. There is potential for up to 15 mm falling in one hour locally with a few locations perhaps receiving over 40 mm in a 3 hour period.

Please refer to this website for further updates.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **11:00 on Sat, 04th Aug 2012** until **21:00 on Sat, 04th Aug 2012**

Heavy showers with a risk of thunder are expected to develop through Saturday. Some of these may be prolonged in places.

The public should be aware that there is a risk of surface water flooding issues in a few places and possible disruption to transport.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/weather/uk/uk_forecast_warnings.html

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